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## INSPECTION REPORT

Partial XXX Complete      Exploration     

Inspection Date: 07/10/2002 / Time: 10:15 to 1:00

Date of Last Inspection: 06/18/2002

Mine Name: Hidden Valley Mine County: Emery Permit Number: C/015/007

Permittee and/or Operator's Name: Consolidation Coal Company

Business Address: P.O. Box 566, Sesser IL 62884/P.O. Box 527, Emery, Utah 84522

Company Official(s): Steve Behling Federal Official(s): None

State Official(s): Joe Helfrich

Weather Conditions: Sunny, 99

Type of Mining Activity: Underground XXX Surface      Prep Plant      Other     

Existing Acreage: Permitted 960 Disturbed 7 Regraded      Seeded     

Status: Active

### REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS & PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

- Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.
  - For complete inspections provide narrative justification for any elements not fully inspected unless element is not appropriate to the site, in which case check N/A.
  - For partial inspections check only the elements evaluated.
- Document any noncompliance situation by referencing the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
- Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
- Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments.

|  | EVALUATED                           | N/A                                 | COMMENTS                            | NOV/ENF                  |
|--|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. PERMITS, CHANGE, TRANSFER, RENEWAL, SALE                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. SIGNS AND MARKERS   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. TOPSOIL   | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE:   |                                     |                                     |                                     |                          |
| a. DIVERSIONS  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| b. SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS                               | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| c. OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES                               | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| d. WATER MONITORING  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| e. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5. EXPLOSIVES  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 6. DISPOSAL OF EXCESS SPOIL/FILLS/BENCHES                        | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 7. COAL MINE WASTE/REFUSE PILES/IMPOUNDMENTS                     | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 8. NONCOAL WASTE   | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 9. PROTECTION OF FISH, WILDLIFE AND RELATED ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 10. SLIDES AND OTHER DAMAGE                                      | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 11. CONTEMPORANEOUS RECLAMATION                                  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 12. BACKFILLING AND GRADING                                      | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 13. REVEGETATION   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 14. SUBSIDENCE CONTROL   | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 15. CESSATION OF OPERATIONS                                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 16. ROADS:   |                                     |                                     |                                     |                          |
| a. CONSTRUCTION/MAINTENANCE/SURFACING                            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| b. DRAINAGE CONTROLS   | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 17. OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES                              | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 18. SUPPORT FACILITIES/UTILITY INSTALLATIONS                     | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 19. <del>ANNUAL</del> <sup>4th Quarter-</sup> April, May, June)  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 20. <del>ANNUAL</del> <sup>4th Quarter-</sup> April, May, June)  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 21. BONDING & INSURANCE  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |

**INSPECTION REPORT**  
(Continuation Sheet)

PERMIT NUMBER: C/015/007

DATE OF INSPECTION: 07/10/2002

(COMMENTS ARE NUMBERED TO CORRESPOND WITH TOPICS LISTED ABOVE)

**1. PERMITS, CHANGE, TRANSFER, RENEWAL, SALE**

The reclamation permit was renewed on January 29, 2002 and expires January 30, 2007. There are no amendments pending.

**2. SIGNS AND MARKERS**

Point of access signs and perimeter markers were correctly posted.

**4C. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE: OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES**

The berms and ditches along the road, disturbed area, and reclaimed area were in good repair and functioning properly at the time of this inspection.

**13. REVEGETATION**

Vegetation is establishing although sparse as compared to the previous year. Ivie Creek was dry at the time of this inspection.

Inspector's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

  
Joseph C. Helfrich #1

Date: July 11, 2002

**Note:** This inspection report does not constitute an affidavit of compliance with the regulatory program of the Division of Oil, Gas & Mining.

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